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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Re Application of: Yong-Hang Zhang et al. : Group Art Unit: 2815  
Serial No.: 10/683,822 : Examiner: Jerome Jackson  
Filed: October 10, 2003 :

**Title: Performance of Electronic and Optoelectronic Devices Using a Surfactant During Epitaxial Growth**

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Sir:

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated May 18, 2004, applicant hereby selects for further examination at this time in the above-identified application the claims of Group II. The Official Action indicates claims 15 - 22 as Group II claims. Applicant respectfully suggests that an error may have been made and that the Group II claims should be 16 - 22, as claim 15 is dependent on claim 14 and therefore a part of the Group I claims.

No fee is believed required, however, authorization is given to charge any additional fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 070135.

Respectfully submitted,

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